

Mrs. Sackett Was Aide to 3 Governors

(Story also on page 1)
Mrs. Beatrice Walton Sackett, who died Saturday in Coos Bay, was a member of a pioneer Oregon family, her father, James Walton, having come to Oregon from Australia in the 1850's and having been draftsman for the original platting of Roseburg.
Mrs. Sackett became Gov. Patterson in 1898. She attended elementary and high schools here and spent two years at Willamette university before going to Mills college, San Leandro, Calif., where she was graduated in 1920.
Upon graduation she joined the faculty of Astoria high school. Two years later she became secretary to J. C. Churchill, then state superintendent of public instruction, and some time after became chief assistant to Hal E. Hoss, the secretary to Gov. I. L. Patterson.
Mrs. Sackett became Gov. Patterson's secretary when Hoss was secretary of state, and after Patterson's death remained as secretary to Gov. A. W. Norblad.
She resigned her position in the governor's office to travel extensively abroad, but returned when she was invited to become secretary to Gov. Julius E. Meier. She served throughout his term of office, but declined to remain as secretary to his successor, Gov. Charles H. Martin.
She married Sheldon F. Sackett Dec. 31, 1931, in Salem and moved with her husband to Coos Bay in 1936. There she was associated with him in operating the Coos Bay Times until her health interfered.
Mrs. Sackett had been an active member of the Episcopal church since her youth. She was a member of the American Association of University Women and the Town and University clubs in Portland. She also was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, scholastic honorary.

China Students Plan on Strike

NANKING, May 19—(AP)—Defying Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's orders to quiet down, thousands of university students demonstrated violently in several Chinese cities today and called for a general strike June 2 to back their demands that the civil war halt immediately.
The war itself took a new turn as Chinese press reports said the resurgent communists had driven within seven miles south of Changchun, capital of Manchuria, and were making rapid progress in a campaign to isolate that city by land and air.
Already virtually under siege, Changchun was ruled by martial law.

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Labor 'Truce' Speeds Building Of Post-war Norway Says Berg

Under an agreement made in wartime between leaders of management and labor and later confirmed by law, a "truce" against work stoppages prevails in Norway to speed the task of reconstruction, reported Paal Berg, former chief justice of the Norway supreme court, in an address Monday night.

Clothes, Auto Stolen From Salem Women

Theft of their clothes and car was the weekend fortune of two Salem women, Mrs. M. K. Katusa, Jr., and Mrs. Homer Lyons, according to Associated Press reports. This after a rescue from a drifting amphibious "duck" in the ocean near Seaside Saturday.
First, the women, with others, were rescued from the craft when a man swam from shore with a line so that firemen could pull it nearer the beach. The man's companion, Anne Marie Kericks, transient, helped the two women to a hospital then, while they recuperated from shock, took their automobile, police report.
The girl was found with the car and six sailors on a side road, police report, and was charged with automobile theft, the Associated Press Golden said. She had recently been ordered out of Astoria on a vagrancy charge. Police said she told five different stories to the five officers who questioned her.
Meanwhile, Mrs. Katusa's husband arrived at the hospital Sunday with clothing for the two women in order that they might leave.

Bullet in Head Kills Manegre

Narciss Manegre, 83, died Monday afternoon in a garage at 2590 N. Fifth st., of what Deputy Coroner Press Golden said was a self-inflicted head bullet wound, from a .32 calibre pistol, which was gripped in his left hand when police arrived.
He lived at the Fifth street address, in the home of Frank Belio, according to police. He was a native of St. Paul, Ore.
Surviving are three nephews, Ray, Freeman and Jesse Manegre, all of St. Paul and a niece, Mrs. Down, of Portland.
Funeral services, in charge of the Unger funeral home at Mt. Angel, are being arranged for Thursday, interment to follow at St. Paul cemetery.

Condition Poor For 8-Year-Old Hit by Vehicle

Larry Iiams, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Iiams of 2330 Lee st., remained in a critical condition in Salem General hospital Monday night as a result of injuries incurred last Friday.
Hospital officials told police the boy's right arm, left rib and pelvis were fractured and that he incurred a cerebral concussion and ruptured spleen when struck by an automobile.
Meanwhile, a formal investigation of the accident resulted in a report that the boy "did not see the car" and "just ran into the street" in the path of a machine driven by Mrs. Leona Henderson, 1705 Fir st.

Cooperation Said Great U.S. Need

WASHINGTON, May 19—(AP)—President Truman told the Daughters of the American Revolution tonight that "the security of the United States depends to a considerable degree on how well we succeed in fostering cooperation among people as well as among governments."
At the D. A. R.'s 56th continental congress Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, army chief of staff, took the platform in Constitution Hall to rousing applause and called for vigilance against "vicious cults."
BEHEADER SENTENCED
DACHAU, Germany, May 19 (AP)—Dr. Max Schmid, former German medical officer who admitted beheading an American soldier and bleaching the skull, was sentenced today to 10 years' imprisonment by a U. S. war crimes court.

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Legion Names Osterman to Command Post

Capital post 9, American Legion, Monday night elected Lawrence Osterman to succeed Rex Kimmel as post commander.
Charles Huggins is the new first vice commander, S. W. Starr second vice commander, John Kerick adjutant, Conrad Paulson financial officer, Iri McSherry historian, C. V. Richardson chaplain, Marion Lamb quartermaster and Charles Domagala, sergeant-at-arms.
Named to the executive committee were Claude Martin, Hans Hofstetter, Rex Kimmel, Dick Meyer, Austin Wilson and Ray Bassett. I. N. (Ike) Bacon was elected to the building and cemetery committees.
Elected as delegates to the state convention were Walter Kirk, Ira Pilcher, Brazier Small, Charles Huggins, Al Fellen, Bacon, Art Johnson, H. C. (Hub) Saalfeld, Paul Spaulding, Don Dill, Chet Zumwalt, Douglas McKay, Don Madison, Hofstetter, John Kerick, Jack Russell, Frank Grimm, S. W. Starr and John Olson.
Willamette university students who provided musical entertainment were Bernice Isham, Gloria Stone and Pauline Bustiau, who sang several selections, accompanied by Roberta Batey, and Morris McElwee, who sang a solo, accompanied by Adeline Gould.

Wallace Flays Demo Election

PORTLAND, May 19—(AP)—The democratic state central committee election was challenged today by Lew Wallace, democratic national committeeman whose candidate was defeated in Saturday's election.
Lester W. Humphreys, Portland, was defeated, 28-11, by Byron G. Carney, Milwaukie, for the committee chairmanship after the election credentials committees refused to accept proxy votes Wallace held for Humphreys.
Wallace said he would file suit to prevent Carney and other new officers from taking office on the ground that the proxy votes should legally have been admitted.

Mission to Turkey to Draft Blueprints

WASHINGTON, May 19—(AP)—The vanguard of an American military mission left today by plane for Istanbul without waiting for President Truman to act on the \$400,000,000 Greek-Turkish aid legislation.
The 20-man group will draft blueprints for the \$100,000,000 outfit planned to bolster Turkey's defenses. It was headed by Maj. Gen. Lunsford E. Oliver of the war department general staff and included 11 other army officers, seven from the navy and a state department official.

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Detroit Dam's Role in Power, Flood Control Seen by Party

By Robert E. Gangware
City Editor, The Statesman

How the Detroit dam for flood control and power will fit into the entire Willamette valley project of 15 or 17 dams and many auxiliary projects was revealed graphically to the Marion county residents who predominated in a 40-member tour of 13 dam sites over the week-end.

With Col. O. E. Walsh and his district army engineer staff explaining the proposed projects, the visitors could envisage much of the long-term project that in years to come may see as many as 17 dams harnessing flood waters, producing power and improving drainage. Irrigation, recreation and navigation.
Cost to be Repaid
The overall impression left with county chairmen for the Willamette basin commission and Salem Chamber of Commerce leaders who made the 500-mile motor trip included these highlights:
(1) The entire project, perhaps not to be completed in the lifetime of those who made the trip, will cost more than \$300,000,000 when and as appropriated by congress.
(2) Figured on annual costs basis, the project will show in annual benefits (such as avoidance of flood loss) a dollar value 29 per cent greater than annual cost.
(3) Although Fern Ridge and Cottage Grove dams already are built and Dorena also in Lane county, is about to enter actual dam construction stage, immediate emphasis is to be placed on the major Meridian and the Detroit dams.
The Meridian dam, considered by Col. Walsh as key dam of the project, will be the only dam across the Willamette river itself, located 20 miles above Springfield on the middle fork. Although not as high as the 379-foot Detroit dam, this 250-foot dam, spreading across the river some 3,100 feet, will create a 14-mile lake and at peak periods surpass the Detroit dam in power production.
Col. Walsh pointed out that the Meridian dam is the only one which provides direct beneficial effect all the way down the valley to Oregon City.
Housing Unit Prepared
The Detroit dam site, seven miles below Detroit on the North Santiam river, soon will be a beehive of activity, when 300 housing units are completed and work on relocating the highway is begun in earnest, the engineers indicated.
Sites visited by the week-end tour party included, besides Meridian and Detroit, the Big Cliffe site adjacent to Detroit, Cottage Grove and Dorena on the coast fork of the Willamette in Lane county, Cougar on the south fork of the McKenzie river, Simmonds on Blue River near the McKenzie, Gate Creek on the McKenzie, and the following in the South Santiam basin of Linn county: Holly dam site on the Calapooya river, Waterloo site across the South Santiam which is an alternate to the Jordan dam on Thonmas Creek, the Green Peter site

Postage Boost Gains Backing

WASHINGTON, May 19—(AP)—A hike from 5 to 6 cents an ounce for air mail and increased charges for parcel post were recommended today by the house post office committee.
It approved legislation which would also:
1. Increase the second class mail rate on newspapers and magazines if they are sent to points outside the county of publication.
2. Continue the local letter rate at the present 3 cents after July 1 when, under existing law, it is due to drop to the pre-war 2 cents.
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Edward Carmack Dies in Monmouth

MONMOUTH, May 19—Edward Carmack, 53, died Sunday afternoon of a heart attack at Falls City, just after returning from a fishing trip with Henry Alsip. He was the Monmouth city electrician.
Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. H. R. Schuerman officiating.
Surviving are his mother with whom he had lived for 20 years, and two sisters, Ethel Chappin of Portland and Verle Freppickson of Heppner.

Texas Wind Breaks Up

PANHANDLE, Tex., May 19—(AP)—R. A. Gilkerson of this city reported that a tornado apparently broke up seven or eight miles north of Panhandle about 5 p. m.
CAVES DRAW CROWD
GRANTS PASS, May 19—(AP)—The largest crowds of any opening day on record trekked through the Oregon caves last weekend as the caverns opened for the 1947 season.

Newsmen Gain Court Backing In Criticism

WASHINGTON, May 19—(AP)—The supreme court said today that judges may not use contempt proceedings to protect themselves from criticism and overturned a Texas judge's conviction against three newspapermen.

"The law of contempt is not made for the protection of judges who may be sensitive to the winds of public opinion," wrote Justice Douglas for the majority in the 6 to 3 ruling. "Judges are supposed to be men of fortitude, able to thrive in a hardy climate."
The decision upset three-day jail sentences imposed upon Conway C. Craig, publisher, Bob McCracken, managing editor, and Tom Mulvany, reporter, of the Corpus Christi (Tex.) Caller.
Joe D. Browning as county judge had found the newsmen guilty of contempt for articles and an editorial about a case in his court. It was one in which the owner of a building was awarded possession from a lessee, a cafe operator who was away in the army.
Douglas recounted that Browning instructed the jury to return a verdict for the owner, but it came back twice with an opposite finding and finally followed the judge's orders with a statement that it acted under coercion.
The supreme court ruled that the news articles and editorial did not raise an "imminent" threat to fair administration of justice. And without that, it said, they could not be legally contemptuous.
Chief Justice Vinson and Justices Frankfurter and Jackson dissented.
Douglas said "inaccuracies in reporting are commonplace," and "certainly a reporter could not be laid by the heels for contempt because he missed the essential point in a trial or failed to summarize the issues to accord with the views of the judge."

Portland Budget Set

PORTLAND, May 19—(AP)—Operating expenses of \$9,737,376, an increase of \$1,211,118, were budgeted today for Portland during the coming fiscal year.

U.S. Church Lists Reach 73 Millions

NEW YORK, May 19—(AP)—Membership in religious bodies in the United States reached 73,673,182 at the beginning of 1947, a gain of 1,973,040 over the same time in 1946, the magazine Christian Herald said today.
The Roman Catholic church reported 24,402,124 members and the Jewish congregations 4,641,000. Largest Protestant denomination was the Methodist with 8,430,146 members.

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